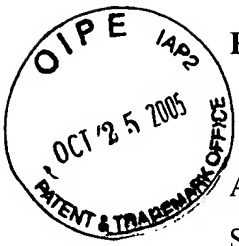


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This Transmittal is submitted in response to the Notice to Comply issued in the Non-final Office Action in this case on August 18, 2005.

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No fee is believed to be due in connection with this Transmittal. If any fee is deemed necessary, or overpayment has been made, please charge, or credit, Deposit Account No. 11-0171.

If the Examiner has any questions regarding the present application, the Examiner is cordially invited to contact Applicants' attorney at the telephone number provided below.

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